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The reply filed on February 13, 2008 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has failed to elect a species as required in the requirement for restriction/election mailed on December 13, 2007. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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